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## AMUSEMENTS TODAY.

Salt Lake—"Carmen."  
Orpheum—Matinee and night, vaudeville.  
Grand—"Quincy Adams Sawyer."  
Lyric—"A Pledge of Honor."

## WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

### THE METALS.

Steel, 65¢ per ounce.  
Copper (cast), 15¢ per pound.  
Lead, 5¢ per 100 pounds.

## PROTECTION FROM MENINGITIS.

While there is no occasion for spe-  
cial alarm about the cases of spinal  
meningitis which have appeared in  
this city recently, it would be well for  
the public to know the nature of the  
disease, the precautions to prevent its  
spread and the conditions which tend  
to limit its growth to epidemic propor-  
tions.

According to the best authorities  
there is no question but that spinal  
meningitis is a germ disease and  
though its method of transmission is  
obscure the consensus of opinion is  
that it is contagious. Exposure result-  
ing in colds, poor ventilation in sleep-  
ing and living apartments and unhy-  
gienic conditions generally produce  
susceptibility to the disease, so that  
an open-air life and careful attention  
to the prevention of colds, chills and  
weakened conditions will do much to  
prevent an attack. The spring shows  
more cases of the disease than any  
other season, presumably because  
weather conditions are bad.

The state board of health here ad-  
vises careful disinfection of rooms and  
contents where cases have occurred,  
as well as the isolation of patients,  
though it is not regarded as necessary  
to quarantine the whole family. How-  
ever, it is thought best that children  
of families where a case has occurred  
should not attend school until after  
advised by the city health authorities  
that any danger of carrying contagion  
is over. Particular emphasis is laid  
upon the necessity for destroying spu-  
tum and other discharges originating  
with patients, as these are the primary  
vehicles of contagion.

In one or two cases here the death  
of well-known children has caused  
something like a panic among people  
who ought to be better poised. No gain  
is to be had from such a mental atti-  
tude, and it is particularly foolish of  
parents to withdraw their children  
from school because of one or two cases  
in a district. The school authorities as  
well as the health authorities are ob-  
serving every precaution for the pro-  
tection of the children; and there is  
quite as much danger from having  
children housed up and kept out of  
school as there would be in permitting  
them to follow the normal routine of  
school life.

A sensible diet, comfortably warm  
clothing, rational hours of sleep and  
rest and plenty of fresh air in and out  
of the house will afford the best safe-  
guards against attack; and these can  
be had as well with attendance at  
school as without.

## SACRIFICING SALT LAKE.

To establish a basis for a political  
trade with the senate, the Republican  
machine leaders yesterday planned to  
rush the fire and police commission bill  
through a special committee and put  
it on its passage.

The plan of the federal office-holders  
steering committee which is behind the  
scheme is very simple. They propose  
to have the house compel the senate  
to accept the police bill in order to se-  
cure action by the house on the Gal-  
veston bills for the government of Salt  
Lake City. They, Callister, Spry, Hull  
et al., show they have no interest in  
the welfare of the city, nor regard for  
the wishes of its citizens. They want  
the control of the fire and police de-  
partments of Salt Lake for their po-  
litical machine, not for the benefit of  
the people, and to secure this political  
advantage they are willing to sacrifice  
Salt Lake's chance for better general  
government, defy all the wishes of the  
citizens most concerned and wipe out  
the last vestige of local self-govern-  
ment in the city's two most important  
departments.

Apart from the political considera-  
tions, there can be no good reason for  
defeating or emasculating the Galves-  
ton bills. They offer a hope of good  
government, a certainty of better man-  
agement of the city than is possible  
under the present system. The bills  
would put the heelers and grafters out  
of city office and establish municipal  
administration on a business basis, as  
it should be. The very trade by which  
the federal office-holders hope to de-  
feat a reform of the city system is evi-

dence enough of the evil the Galveston  
bills seek to eliminate from politics.  
Probably the Republican managers  
think they will profit by the defeat of  
the reform measures and the success  
of the fire and police commission bill,  
but they are counting without their  
host. The people of Salt Lake have  
tolerated a good deal from "the bunch,"  
as they are known, but it has been a  
choice of evils, not a preference for the  
kind of politics Callister and Spry and  
Hull play. If they succeed in defeat-  
ing the Galveston bills, the people will  
have a long account to settle with  
them; and the reckoning will be com-  
plete at the first opportunity.

Incidentally, the part Harry S. Jo-  
seph, speaker of the house, is playing  
needs attention. It has been known  
that he was subservient to the federal  
office-holders ever since he revised his  
committee appointments under orders  
from them. It has been agreed, too,  
that he would do anything they told  
him to do. Now it is proved. A resi-  
dent of Salt Lake, ostensibly friendly  
to its best interests, nominated and  
elected by city constituents, he has  
shown a willingness to betray the city  
for political advantage to the machine.  
He has engineered the fire and police  
measure, has arranged to block the  
Galveston bills with it, and if any  
trade is made must be a party to it be-  
fore it can be carried out. Salt Laker  
would do well to watch the speaker  
carefully, follow his action on this deal  
and let him know just what they think  
of it.

## AS OTHERS SEE US.

The Reno Gazette tries to make a  
few remarks about the Salt Lake news-  
papers that war with each other, and  
it drives home some truths that have  
been obvious to the people here for a  
long time. Among other things, it says:  
"Every time we pick up the Salt Lake  
papers, which is nearly every day for  
we are interested in the lusty city to  
the east of us, we are constrained to  
comment upon the harmful influence  
the newspapers of that city must have  
upon the growth of the community  
which gives them sustenance. Instead  
of working together for the general  
good they are bending every effort to  
undo each other and seem to be willing  
to resort to any measure to gain ad-  
vantage over one another."

"Newspapers can be of vast aid in  
the upbuilding of a community. But  
when they engage in warfare such as  
that which is now carried on by the  
Salt Lake press they become a positive  
source of evil. They divide sentiment;  
they kill all chance of pulling together;  
they frighten enterprise; they are a  
thorn in every man's side.  
"No higher encomium upon the possi-  
bilities of Salt Lake can be paid than  
to say that in the face of the obstacles  
created by a warring press Salt Lake  
has prospered and grown steadily.  
Some day, when the last of the bloody  
warriors of the press has been gathered  
to his fathers, there will be peace in  
the fair Utah city, and then it will  
greatly flourish. But in the meantime  
the newspapers are seeing to it that  
headway is made only in the face of  
unnecessary odds."

If the Gazette man will look over his  
files of The Herald, he will see that its  
policy coincides with his belief exact-  
ly. This paper has been run on the  
theory that the first business of a news-  
paper is to get the news and print it  
straight—all of it. In public affairs it  
has not hesitated to express its con-  
victions on every subject of importance,  
but it has not let its political opinions  
bias or distort its news reports. It has  
tried to be fair to its opponents as well  
as to its friends. It has kept in view  
constantly the value to the state and  
city of such a presentation of their ad-  
vantages and opportunities as would  
attract population and capital. It has  
never assumed that any large part of  
the people of Utah are unfit for citizen-  
ship, nor that people who dissent from  
its opinions must necessarily be im-  
beciles or dishonest.

On the contrary, The Herald believes  
and has always believed, that the prob-  
lems which beset this state will be  
worked out by the people of the state,  
and that the attempt to promote per-  
sonal and political ends by abuse and  
vituperation will only defer the settle-  
ment of controversies which every  
right-minded citizen deprecates and would  
gladly see ended.

As for the other newspapers of Salt  
Lake, The Herald believes this city has  
better news service, better newspapers  
in size and quality and general stan-  
dards than any city of its class in this  
country. It is a misfortune that the  
complications of politics, the ambitions  
of individuals, have involved some of  
the newspapers in what seems to us a  
profitless and injurious warfare; but  
for all that Salt Lake is going ahead,  
as the Reno editor observes, and it is  
in a way to work out its destiny satis-  
factorily in spite of this handicap.

According to a New York authority  
microbes are so small that 10,000 of  
them could dwell in perfect comfort  
on the head of an ordinary pin. If the  
aforesaid microbes would only be con-  
tent to dwell on the heads of pins  
there wouldn't be much trouble about  
furnishing them with homes. Every-  
body would gladly contribute.

Lots of people ran up and shook  
hands with Emperor William when he  
rode through Berlin in an automobile  
the other day. Either the Germans are  
pretty fast runners or William had a  
car slower than any that appeared on  
Brigham street last Sunday afternoon.

The senator-elect from New Jersey is  
said to be an unknown man. But per-  
haps that is altogether to his advan-  
tage.

The king of Italy spends most of his  
time, it is said, in collecting coins. So  
does John D. Rockefeller.

## SOCIETY

The luncheon to be given by the  
Spirit of Liberty chapter, Daughters of  
the American Revolution, is to be the  
big event following the annual break-  
fast of the Ladies' Literary club. It  
will be on Washington's birthday, and  
is to be at the same place, the Mani-  
toul. Mrs. L. C. Miller will be the toast-  
mistress, and toasts are to be given by  
Mrs. Thomas Weir, Mrs. C. S. Khuey,  
Mrs. H. C. Clement of Port Douglas,  
Mrs. Margaret Zane Wither, Mrs.  
Clarence T. Brown, Miss Margaret Con-  
nell and Mrs. H. C. Wallace.

Captain and Mrs. H. C. Clement will  
entertain again this evening at a din-  
ner.

Mrs. C. E. Allen left last evening for  
the east, called there suddenly on busi-  
ness.

Major and Mrs. Edward P. Pendle-  
ton and Captain and Mrs. A. S. Brookes  
will give a reception Saturday evening  
at the post hall in honor of the visit-  
ing officers at the post.

Mrs. Robert King Brown entertained  
the members of her Card club yester-  
day at a luncheon at her home on Sec-  
ond street.

The Sewing club met yesterday with  
Miss Della Janet Richards.

Mrs. Frederick U. Leonard will en-  
tertain the 200 Card club next Friday  
at her home.

Miss Hannah Le Compie, who has  
been visiting with friends for the past  
few days, left yesterday for her home  
in Park City.

Mrs. Mary C. Wytkoon, mother of  
Mrs. Agnes Osborne, who made her  
home here for some years, sailed from  
New York last Wednesday to join her  
son, John, in Paris.

Mrs. George W. Snow has returned  
from a stay of a month or more in Los  
Angeles.

Dr. Alexander McChrystal and his  
brother, J. C. McChrystal, sailed yester-  
day for a stay of a few weeks in  
London.

Mrs. James W. Moyle will entertain  
this afternoon at a Kensington.

Mrs. William Iglehart and Mrs. Joel  
L. Priest will entertain today at the  
second in a series of teas.

A valentine dance at the Ladies' Lit-  
erary club will be the event of the day  
for the younger boys and girls.

H. C. Hoffman and Edward E. Hoff-  
man, who have been in the east for  
two months, will return home about the  
middle of this month. Mrs. Hoffman  
will not return with Mr. Hoffman, but  
will remain in Baltimore through the  
winter.

The Salt Lake High School Alumni  
association will give its first annual  
party tomorrow evening at Unity hall.  
This will become an annual event. The  
decorations of the hall will be in red  
and black, the High school colors. All  
the classes that have left the school  
will have their numerals displayed on  
the wall and under these the members  
of the different classes will collect to  
renew acquaintances and discuss remin-  
iscences of old High school days.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

3667—Isaac E. Quinney, Logan.  
Lucy K. Allen, Hyrum.  
3668—Fred Bird, Murray.  
Florence Hill, Murray.  
3669—Fred Buehler, Logan.  
Alveda M. Johnson, Park City.  
3670—Nathan F. Vernon, Salt Lake.  
Annie R. Young, Washington.  
3671—Chris Holden, Salt Lake.  
Jessie A. Lockwood, Salt Lake.  
3672—G. P. Mills, New York.  
E. H. Dickerson, Colorado Springs.

## METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Yesterday's Record at the Local Of-  
fice of the Weather Bureau.

Maximum temperature, 53 degrees;  
minimum temperature, 35 degrees; mean  
temperature, 44 degrees, which is 13 de-  
grees above normal; accumulated excess  
of temperature since 1st of month, 102  
degrees; accumulated excess of tempera-  
ture since Jan. 1, 238 degrees; relative  
humidity at 6 p. m., 60. Total precipita-  
tion from 6 p. m. to 6 p. m., none; ac-  
cumulated excess of precipitation since  
1st of month, 1.23 inches; accumulated  
excess of precipitation since Jan. 1, 1.64  
inches.

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